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1-4-1	Title of Invention	APPARATUS FOR FACILITATING WALKING IN SKI BOOTS
1-4-2	Applicant's or agent's file reference	CJELI04
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PCT REQUEST

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